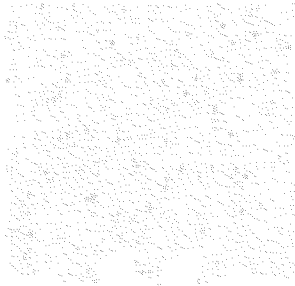


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Tricia,

Ben emailed me about the response this morning. I think..... right now you are my Supervisor.  
So, here is the email exchange I had with Ben.

Please advise

David M. Edelstein

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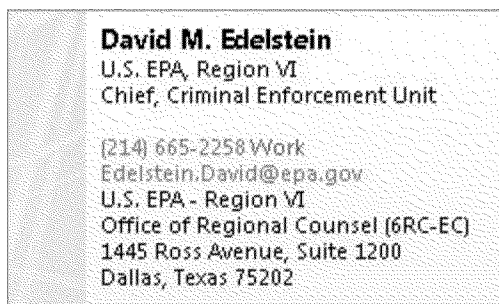
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**From:** Edelstein, David  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 11, 2015 7:14 AM  
**To:** Harrison, Ben  
**Subject:** RE: RSC Request for Deployment - URGENT; Gold King Mine Spill

Ben,

I am on the RSC (at least did all the certifications years ago when they were looking for volunteers). I also have completed 24 hour HAZWOPER and have done my 8 hour refresher every year since – I have enforcement officer credentials.

I would be happy to assist as a citizen liaison.

My preference, *if possible*, would be a Sunday night (or Monday) deployment – returning to Dallas Friday night. I watch my daughter on the weekends while my wife picks up shifts at Baylor. However, we could make other arrangements for child care if need be.

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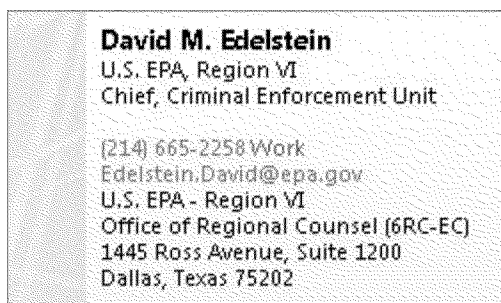
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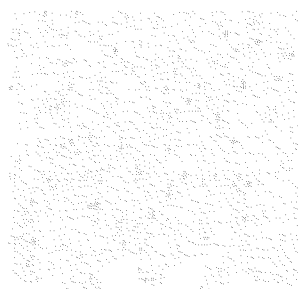
**From:** Harrison, Ben  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 11, 2015 7:02 AM  
**To:** Edelstein, David  
**Subject:** FW: RSC Request for Deployment - URGENT; Gold King Mine Spill  
**Importance:** High

If you are interested, let me know. Your role would be as citizen liaison.

Sent from my Windows Phone

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**From:** Webster, Susan  
**Sent:** 8/10/2015 2:09 PM  
**To:** Rhea, William; Loesel, Matthew; Smith, Rhonda; Kemp, Mary; Atkins, Blake; Tates, Samuel; Harrison, Ben; Assunto, Carmen; McQuiddy, David; Jackson, Marcus  
**Cc:** Torres, Michael; Adams, Mikeal  
**Subject:** RSC Request for Deployment - URGENT; Gold King Mine Spill



The REOC has been activated for the Gold King Mine Spill. This is an immediate activation of the R6 RSC.

The Region is requesting 30 EPA staff be immediately deployed to the Farmington NM area as community relations support. Deployment is for potentially a week (min 5 days deployment).

Preference is for a min of 24-hour HAZWOPER, and medical monitoring.

Please have staff, that have supervisor approval to deploy, email Michael Torres and cc Mikeal Adams and Susan Webster.

Thank you for you help! Susan

Susan Webster, Chief

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